

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 294

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Harsh Patel, 2013  
Valedictorian of Mount Juliet High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Harsh Patel is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2013 graduating class at Mount Juliet High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Patel has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Harsh Patel has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, he has dedicated his time to clubs and extracurricular activities at Mount Juliet High School including the National Honor Society and the Young Democrats Club; and

WHEREAS, outside of school, Mr. Patel contributes to the community by volunteering with the American Red Cross and BAPS; and

WHEREAS, he plans to pursue a post-secondary education at the University of California at Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, Harsh's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Harsh's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Pankaj and Sarla Patel, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Harsh Patel's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2013 Mount Juliet High School Valedictorian, Harsh Patel, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.